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WFA ASKS REPORT OF LINSEED OIL SALES

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 30 -- Paint and varnish manufacturers who also are retail distributors of linseed oil must file with the War Food Administration by April 10, 1944 a letter reporting their deliveries of linseed oil in 1940 and 1941, according to announcement made today by Euell F. Maben, western regional director of War Food Administration, Office of Distribution.

An amendment to Food Distribution Order No. 63, effective April 1 also requires similar reports from crushers, processors, and wholesale distributors of linseed oil who operate as retail distributors or consumers. The reports, on which quota bases will be established should be mailed to the director of food distribution, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C. Failure to file them by April 10 will prevent operators from making further deliveries of oil which are subject to quota restrictions.

Persons operating only as retail distributors or consumers are not affected by the amendment, nor are crushers, processors, manufacturers, and wholesalers who filed reports of their base period deliveries under the original order, issued July 10, 1943. The order was amended Hovember 30, 1943 providing unrestricted deliveries among wholesalers and above the wholesale level, but retained a limitation on deliveries to retailers or consumers.

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CUBA TO GET FLOUR - In compliance with an agreement made several months ago in which the Cuban government agreed to sell to the United States the exportable surplus of the 1944 Cuban sugar crop at a specified price, the War Food Administration today announced a program designed to stabilize the price of flour

shipped to that country from the United States for the remainder of 1944.

The program involves the absorption of certain losses in connection with the delivery of flour at specified prices and payments will be made to exporters of flour manufactured from wheat produced in the United States.

From time to time the WFA's Office of Distribution will announce the rate of payment to exporters, the time in which the flour must be shipped from the mill and exported, and the total quantity which may be sold during the effective period of the announced rate. The rate of payment to be made will be that in effect on the date of the sale of flour.

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